



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

TAWA, et al.

Application No.: 10/674,429

Group Art Unit: 3617

Filed: October 01, 2003

Attorney Dkt. No.: 107348-00369

For: WATER-COOLED VERTICAL ENGINE, OUTBOARD MOTOR EQUIPPED  
WITH WATER-COOLED VERTICAL ENGINE, AND OUTBOARD MOTOR

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Director of the U.S. PTO  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: February 25, 2004

Sir:

Applicant(s) petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated December 23, 2004 from February 23, 2004 to March 23, 2004.

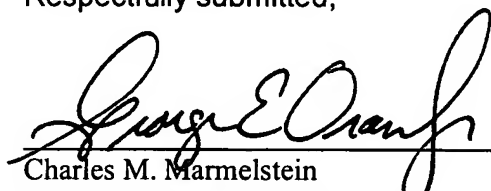
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